

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A system accessible by a at least one user over a computer network for planning and tracking certification, comprising:

a database storing at least one user profile and at least one authority profile, wherein the at least one user profile specifies user information including a certification authority, and wherein the at least one authority profile contains one or more certification requirements associated with the certification authority specified in the user profile;

a ~~planner~~ planning module executed at one or more workstations that generates one or more certification goals based on a the at least one user profile and an the at least one authority profile associated with a certification authority, wherein the ~~planner~~ planning module is responsive responds to a the at least one user's selection of the one or more of the generated certification goals for creating to create a certification plan and wherein the planning module transmits the certification plan to the certification authority specified in the user profile; and

a ~~trae~~ker tracking module executed at one or more workstations that updates the certification plan in response to input regarding achievement of the one or more user-selected certification goals.

2. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the certification plan relates to at least one of certification, re-certification, licensing, re-licensing in a field of endeavor.
3. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 2, wherein the field of endeavor comprises a field relating to at least one of education, teaching, medical, engineering, legal, accounting, and sports.
4. (Original) The system of claim 1, wherein the certification authority comprises at least one of a federal government, state government, county government, local government, municipal government, public official, private official, governmental agency, non-governmental agency, public institution, and private institution.
5. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the ~~planner~~ planning module is responsive to at least one of Needs Assessment and Certification Credit information for generating the certification.
6. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the ~~planner~~ planning module is responsive to certification credit transferred from another certification authority for generating the certification goals.
7. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the ~~tracker~~ tracking module updates the certification plan based on at least one of a user input and non-user input.

8. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the ~~planner~~ planning module prioritizes the generated certification goals based on the one or more certification requirements of the certification authority.
9. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, further including a certification resource generator that associates at least one of the certification goals with at least one certification resource.
10. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~[[1]]~~ 9, wherein the at least one certification resource ~~comprise~~ comprises at least one of a course, program, session, seminar, audio lecture, video lecture, a book, a test, and a form.
11. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~[[1]]~~ 9, wherein the at least one certification resource has a format comprising at least one of a course, session, seminar, degree program, test, form, book, audio, and video.
12. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~[[1]]~~ 11, wherein the course comprises at least one of a live course and a self-paced course.
13. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, further including an on-line system accessible by the user for at least one of receiving, ordering, and registering for a certification resource.
14. (Cancelled)

15. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the ~~tracker~~ tracking module transmits an e-mail to the user in connection with a certification goal.
16. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the ~~tracker~~ tracking module alerts the user regarding a certification goal deadline.
17. (Original) The system of claim 1 further including an on-line grant module accessible by the user to search for a grant.
18. (Currently Amended) The system of claim ~~[[1]]~~ 17, wherein the on-line grant module allows the user to apply for a selected grant.